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HIGHWAY BILL IS AGAIN REFERRED

Measure Creating Avery County Becomes a Law—New Bills Introduced.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Raleigh, N. C., February 22.—The Senate consumed more than two hours today debating the Sikes-Bryden State Highway Commission bill, and it was referred to the Committee on Public Roads after two amendments had been adopted, one providing that the State shall buy no county bonds until their sale is approved by the Attorney General, and the other striking out all provisions in the bill calling for a bond.

The Senate concurred in the House amendment to the bill creating Avery county, naming it in honor of the memory of Henry Avery, and the bill was ordered enrolled for ratification.

A special order for the Tarboro and title system bill was postponed indefinitely, on account of the illness of Senator Cotton.

Major new bills were introduced today, one by Senator Hobgood to incorporate the Greensboro, Roxboro and Norfolk Railroad, one by Senator Belamy to establish a free ferry across the Cape Fear at Wilmington, one by Senator Brown to protect the State's interest in turnpikes, railroads and other enterprises.

The bill creating Avery county passed final reading in the House today, and was ordered enrolled for ratification. This is the tenth county for North Carolina, and is made up of portions of Mitchell, Watauga and McDowell.

The Senate bill for \$500,000 bonds for a deepwater State administration building was passed by the House Friday noon, this being the million-dollar bill which the Senate cut in half.

In committee of the whole the House passed upon sixty-two sections of the revenue bill, important changes being the increase of the tax on automobile dealers from 10 to 15 percent, the tax on time-tellers and clairvoyants to \$200 a year, and adjusting bottling works tax, so that the tax on the bottle of 100 to 150 cents will be \$20, 100 to 200 cents, 100 and over 200 cents, 50 percent. The license for wholesale horse dealers was fixed at \$50 and no license was required to have both retail and wholesale license. Amendments to section 10 that would require druggists to pay \$100 tax for selling whiskey were voted down and the tax retained at \$25. The House received the report of the committee on the whole and adopted the sixty-two sections passed upon.

ADDRESS BY DR. WHITE.

Feature of Day's Session of Tri-State Medical Association.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Raleigh, N. C., February 22.—The annual address of President Joseph A. White, of Richmond, before the Tri-State Medical Association, yesterday afternoon, was delivered to a large gathering of physicians and students.

News of South Richmond

South Richmond Bureau The Times-Dispatch, 1020 Hull Street, Phone Madison 175.

Something in the nature of a small riot occurred yesterday morning in Gill Brothers' wood yard, when a negro, who had been drinking, was seen by the police, and was in turn assaulted by the negroes. The whole party, armed and bloody, was hauled by the police station and then a hearing was given in the Police Court, Part 2, this morning. McGee will have to appear for his assault on Freddie, and Henrietta Hobson will have to appear who she soaked McGee over the head with a stick of wood.

Joseph Johns, a colored visitor from North Carolina, yesterday afternoon entered Mrs. W. H. Owen's residence, and was busy engaged in removing several chairs from the hall when discovered. He spent the night in the Third Police Station, and will appear in Police Court this morning.

Willie Harris, colored, yesterday afternoon was arrested by the police, and taken to the police station, where he was held for the purpose of killing his wife. She died of a heart attack, and the police officer was called by phone to arrest Harris. He was given a hearing before Judge Maurice this morning.

Gifford Johnson, colored, was fined \$250 and costs yesterday morning by Justice Maurice for cursing and abusing his spouse.

William H. Hagan and Fred Crowder were each fined \$10 and costs yesterday morning for fighting in the streets. Crowder settled his fine, but Hagan was taken to jail for thirty days on account of payment.

A special session of the Oak Grove court was called by Judge Magistrate Chestnut for Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to hear the evidence in the case against W. H. Ward, agent for Clegg's, charged with peddling without a license. The special session is ordered because of the fact that many women are to testify in the hearing, and the Oak Grove courthouse does not afford accommodations. The place of meeting of the court has not been chosen. The hearing has been postponed for several weeks in order to allow Hiram Smith, counsel for the defense, opportunity to communicate with the Philadelphia connection.

The regular session of the Oak Grove court will be called to-morrow morning by Judge Magistrate Chestnut in the Oak Grove courthouse at 10 o'clock. At this time no cases except civil have been scheduled.

The docketing of several civil cases will probably extend the present session of the Chesterfield county Circuit Court beyond the day first set for adjournment, Friday, 25th. It is fairly certain now that this term will extend well into the following week before the court adjourns to Petersburg.

Before the court adjourns for this term it will be necessary for Judge Watson to appoint a successor to Special County Officer White, and settle the question of the removal of the judge from the Oak Grove residence. His announcement of the successful adjournment is expected to bring up in an order for the place to be made early in March. It is A. A. Allen, a former officer of the county, and a man with a good reputation for service. He has been a man who killed two criminals in a fight, and the Raleigh Street public school Tuesday night resulted in the belief that the blaze was due to a tin

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By The Valentine Auction Co., Auctioneers, 618 East Broad Street, Richmond, Va.

BUGGIES, SURREYS, WAGONS, HARNESS, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, FURNITURE, STOVES, HARDWARE, ETC., OF THE SPOTLESS COMPANY, INC., SHOCKOE WAREHOUSE, FOOT OF THIRTEENTH STREET, RICHMOND, VA.

In order to reduce our large stock now on hand, so as to make room for this year's goods now on way, we will sell at public auction the following goods on:

THIS THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1911, AT 10:30 O'CLOCK A. M.:

Top Buggies, Runabouts, Extension Top Surreys, Canopy Top Surreys, Open and Top Dayton-Warrens, One and Two-Horse Farm Wagons, Deering Disc Harrows, South Bend Plows, Cultivators and other Farming Implements, Wood and Coal Heating Stoves, Cooking Ranges and Stoves, Bed Room Suits, Baita, Rockers, Odd Dressers, Iron Beds, Dining Tables, Kitchen Tables, Parlor Suits, Harness, Bridles, Saddles, Musical Instruments, Watches, Clocks, Guns, Rifles, Kitchenware and Hardware, Clothing Wringers and Washing Machines, and other goods too numerous to mention.

This stock was purchased mainly at bankrupt sales, and we have decided to let them at auction. Some of our new (this year's) stock coming in. All of this stock is absolutely new, none of it second-hand. This is an opportunity for bargains.

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SUFFRAGISTS AND "ANTIS" IN BATTLE

They Are Given Hearing on "Votes for Women" by Legislative Committee.

Albany, N. Y., February 22.—Mero man was essentially a minor factor in the assembly Chamber to-day when the joint Judiciary Committee of the Senate and Assembly gave a hearing on the woman suffrage bills. Aside from the committee members, only a few men were able to procure seats. Even the chairs usually occupied by newspaper men were occupied by suffragists and "antis."

For three hours the battle waged, and at its conclusion Chairman Bayne announced that the measures would be taken up in another session by the committee next Tuesday. Both sides put forth their best speakers.

The anti-suffragists who spoke included Miss Margaret Downe Gardiner of Albany, who declared that there is "nothing dignified about a suffragist." Miss Margaret C. Cunningham of New York, a school teacher, although one of those "poor down-trodden working women" the suffragists speak about, said she never had felt the need of a vote. Mrs. W. W. Penfield, representing the woman suffrage party, bluntly told the committee that it was proposed to carry on the suffrage campaign in this country as it has been carried on in England, if it becomes necessary, although Mrs. Penfield was not sure that her American sisters would be quite so militant.

Mrs. Minnie Reynolds, of Colorado, talked in a breezy, Western style, declaring that women, if enfranchised, would not desert their homes, husbands and children by chasing around after votes.

Mrs. William F. Scott, in rebuttal for the "antis," said women are throwing away industrial opportunity and wasting their time in the streets. Statements of one of the suffragists that child care was not on the increase in Colorado, a suffrage State, were met by the "antis" with the statement that the National Association of Women Suffragists, summed up for her side in a letter, spoke of the need of a government has taxed the clothes of the women in the West, and that it would not be the case.

NEGRO SETS FIRE TO JAIL.

Receives Burns Which Prove Fatal. Other Persons Almost Suffocated.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Middlesex, N. C., February 22.—Charles Strickland, a crazy negro, who was placed in jail at Nashville Monday night for breaking into Mrs. R. A. Smith's house at 2 o'clock this morning, set fire to a mattress in his cell, and to-day died of burns he received on his face and hands. Six other prisoners in jail, who were sleeping in the cell, were almost suffocated with smoke before their outcries brought the sheriff.

Auction Sales, This Day.

By Green & Redd, Real Estate Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE OF A FOUR-ROOM FRAME DWELLING ON BUCHANAN STREET.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust dated June 10, 1905, and recorded in the Richmond Chancery Court clerk's office, in D. B. 135 C, page 198, defendant having been made in the payment of taxes and insurance secured thereby, and having been required by the beneficiary thereof to pay, I, the undersigned trustee, will, on:

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1911, at 4 o'clock P. M., on the premises, proceed to sell at public auction the property conveyed therein, viz:

All those two lots of land, with all improvements thereon, lying and being in the city of Richmond, Va., beginning at a point on the western line of Buchanan Street one hundred and twenty-five feet north of the intersection of said street, and running northwardly along and fronting on the western line of Buchanan Street forty-seven feet, more or less, and extending back from said front, between parallel lines, sixty feet to a five-foot alley.

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EDGAR B. ENGLISH, JNO. H. GUY, Special Commissioners.

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*5:40 A.M. Main St. Sta.	*11:35 A.M. Byrd St. Sta.
*6:10 A.M. Byrd St. Sta.	*11:45 A.M. Byrd St. Sta.
*6:40 A.M. Byrd St. Sta.	*12:45 P.M. Byrd St. Sta.
*7:10 A.M. Main St. Sta.	*1:15 P.M. Byrd St. Sta.
*7:40 A.M. Byrd St. Sta.	*1:45 P.M. Byrd St. Sta.
*8:10 P.M. Main St. Sta.	*10:10 P.M. Byrd St. Sta.
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